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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed January 23, 2008, Applicants respectfully request that the following amendments be entered and remarks be considered. This amendment accompanies a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) filed under 37 CFR 1.114.

**Amendments to the Claims** begins on page 2 of this paper.

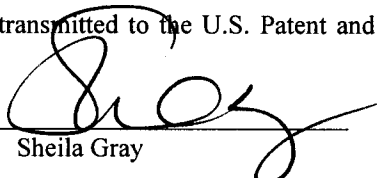
**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.

**Conclusion** begins on page 16 of this paper.

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